

**SECRET**

25 January 1957

MEMORANDUM FOR: PROJECT AQUATONE CONTRACTING OFFICER

SUBJECT : Request for Initiation of Contract for a Terrain Avoidance System (P-196)

ATTACHMENT : 1. Memo from Chairman, DD/P Materiel Board to C/TSS dated 17 January 1957  
2. Memo from Chief, PPS to Chairman, DD/P Materiel Board dated 7 January 1957  
3. Proposal from Westinghouse, Baltimore, Maryland, dated 22 January 1957

1. It is requested that your office initiate a contract for a Terrain Avoidance System with Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Baltimore, Maryland.

2. Attachment 1 is a recommendation by the Chairman of DD/P Materiel Board that TSS proceed with this development. This is based on a requirement from [REDACTED] C/PPS as stated in his memorandum of 7 January 1957 (Attachment 2).

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3. As discussed with the Director of Logistics on 23 January 1957, this request for initiation of a contract is forwarded to your office, rather than through the usual channels, since it is our understanding that for reasons of security this is the proper procedure.

4. The proposal (Attachment 3) submitted by Westinghouse Electric Corporation is acceptable to TSS.

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5. Funds for this project are available within existing TSS Research and Development budget. The total amount of [REDACTED] should be charged to Allotment 7-2502-10.

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6. The equipment produced and all technical and contractual correspondence are classified SECRET. It is understood that all matters of security concerning this project will be handled by your office.

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25X1A 7. The project officer for this contract will be [REDACTED] 25X1A  
[REDACTED] Extension 4116. [REDACTED] Extension 3291, will  
act as coordinator between this project and [REDACTED] 25X1A

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C/TSS/APD

APPROVED FOR OBLIGATION OF FUNDS:

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Research Director

25 Jan. 1957.  
Date

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CERTIFY THAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE:  
OBLIGATION REFERENCE No. 1537  
CHARGE TO ALLOTMENT No. 7-2502-10

TSS/APD/HCK/mm (25 January 1957)

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MEMORANDUM FOR: CONTROLLER

SUBJECT : Project Aquatone

REFERENCE : Memorandum from C/TSS/APD to Project Aquatone  
Contracting Officer dated 25 January 1957

1. It is requested that Paragraph 6 of referenced memorandum be amended to read as follows:

"The equipment produced and all technical and contractual correspondence are classified **SECRET**. It is understood that all matters of security, contractual and financial administration concerning this project will be handled by [REDACTED] Accountable Officer, Obligation Reference #1537, Project Aquatone."

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CC: Accountable Officer

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